



GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Andhra Pradesh Livestock Development Agency, Hyderabad – Re-organization of Cattle Breeding Programme in Andhra Pradesh – Financial support to A.P. Livestock Development Agency – Collection of Cess on milk procurement from Public Sector and Private Dairies – Orders – Issued.

ANIMAL HUSBANDRY, DAIRY DEVELOPMENT & FISHERIES (AH.III) DEPARTMENT

G.O. Ms. No. 86

Dated 17th December, 2009.

Read the following:

1. G.O. Ms. No. 85, Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development & Fisheries (AH.III) Department, dated 2nd August, 1999.
2. G.O. Ms. No. 68, Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development & Fisheries (AH.III) Department, dated 28th September, 2000.
3. From the Chief Executive Officer, A.P. Livestock Development Agency, Hyderabad, Letters Roc. No.1565/T5/2009, dated 10.9.2009 and 12.11.2009.

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ORDER:

In the G.O. first read above, Government, among others, ordered that the restructuring of Cattle Breeding Programme in the State shall be channelized through the Andhra Pradesh Livestock Development Agency. Among others, to make the A.P. Livestock Development Agency self-sustainable, it was also ordered to collect a Cess on milk @ three Paise per liter. Government have also issued orders separately in the G.O. second read above to collect Cess on milk from organized and private dairy sectors with effect from 1.9.2000. But these orders were not implemented till date.

2. The Chief Executive Officer, A.P. Livestock Development Agency in the letters third read above has informed that Government while establishing the A.P. Livestock Development Agency desired that the Agency shall become self-sustainable by generation of its own revenue from Artificial Insemination fee and Milk Cess. As such, Milk Cess is the main source of revenue to A.P.L.D.A. to provide quality breeding services for genetic improvement of bovines in addition to the preventive health care and veterinary first aid services to the farmers in all the villages in the State on continuous basis. Since no adequate revenue is available, the A.P. Livestock Development Agency is unable to extend the breeding services at farmers doorstep to 100% breedable bovines in all the villages in the State, even after establishment of the Agency a decade ago. Around 50% of breedable bovines in the State are covered with doorstep Artificial Insemination services to the farm household and 50% of the farm households/milk producers are denied the Artificial Insemination and other services at their doorstep. Hence, it has become inevitable to raise revenue to A.P. Livestock Development Agency especially by realizing Milk Cess with effect from 1st July, 2009 which facilitates quality breeding services, preventive health care and veterinary first aid services to all the household at their doorstep in all the villages. He has further informed that in a review meeting held on 7.8.2009 under the Chairmanship of the Special Chief Secretary to Government, A.H.D.D. & F. Department, it was decided to reiterate the orders for collection of Milk Cess at the rate of three Paise per liter from the organized and private dairy sectors with effect from 1.7.2009 and requested the Government to issue necessary orders in this regard.

3. Government after careful examination of the matter hereby order for collection of Milk Cess at the rate of 3 Paise (three Paise only) per liter of milk produced by the public sector and private dairies in the State with effect from 1st July, 2009 on quarterly basis. In order to implement the above decision of the Government, the following guidelines are issued:

P.T.O.

- i. The Chief Executive Officer, Andhra Pradesh Livestock Development Agency, Hyderabad is hereby authorized to collect the Milk Cess from the Dairies on quarterly basis. The Public Sector and Private Dairies will remit the Cess quarterly into the Current Account of A.P.L.D.A. No.060511011001261 of Andhra Bank, Vijayanagar Colony, Hyderabad based on the milk collection figures reported to the Milk Commissioner;
- ii. The Milk Commissioner and Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh Dairy Development Cooperative Federation Limited, Hyderabad will help the Chief Executive Office, A.P. Livestock Development Agency in assessment and collection of Cess on milk by providing the information of quantities of milk procured and amounts to be collected;
- iii. In case of discrepancies in collection of Cess on milk are noticed especially on the quantities of milk procured, the information provided by the Milk Commissioner and the Managing Director, A.P. Dairy Development Cooperative Federation Limited shall be the final;
- iv. The Chief Executive Officer, A.P. Livestock Development Agency, Hyderabad shall submit the quarterly periodical details of collection of Cess on milk to the Government;
- v. The Special Chief Secretary to Government, Animal Husbandry, Dairy Development & Fisheries Department shall review the progress on half-yearly basis on the implementation of the said orders.

4. The Milk Commissioner and Managing Director, Andhra Pradesh Dairy Development Cooperative Federation Limited and the Chief Executive Officer, Andhra Pradesh Livestock Development Agency, Hyderabad shall take further action accordingly.

(BY ORDER AND SIGNATURE OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

Dr. PRIYADARSHI DASH,
Special Chief Secretary to Government.

To
The Milk Commissioner & Managing Director,
A.P. Dairy Development Cooperative Federation Ltd., Hyderabad.
The Chief Executive Officer,
Andhra Pradesh Livestock Development Agency, Hyderabad.
Copy to:
The Director of Animal Husbandry, Hyderabad for information.
The Members of Executive Committee of APLDA through the
Chief Executive Officer, A.P. Livestock Development Agency.
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